

Fresno County Economic Opportunities Commission Fresno, CA

Project Title	Fresno County Economic Opportunities Commission IDA Program
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AFI Grant Amount	\$80,000
Nonfederal Support	\$80,000
Project Period	September 2002 – September 2007
Highlights	The Fresno County Economic Opportunities Commission (EOC) is offering 80 IDAs for homeownership or post-secondary education. IDA savings will be matched at a \$2 to \$1 rate, up to \$2,000 over 36 months. EOC provides training as well as free transportation, utilizing EOC's transit system services. Additional services include employment support, childcare, medical care, crisis management, counseling, credit repair, and specialized financial education.
Target Population	Hispanic farmworker families living in the City of Orange Cove, California.
Grantee/Collaborative Description	EOC is a Community Action Agency that has been serving low-income and disadvantaged individuals in Fresno County since 1965. EOC is partnering with the City of Orange Cove, which provided the nonfederal match. Union Bank is the partnering financial institution.